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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.55) <del>not known to be assigned</del> <del>107522038</del>
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP2003/006694	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 25 June 2003 (25.06.2003)	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 16.July 2002 (16.07.2002)
TITLE OF INVENTION Method for Assisting a Driver When Performing Driving Maneuvers		
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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
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Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:		
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, Form PTO-1449; copy of Int. Search Report; 5 references, 11 English Abstracts.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A FIRST preliminary amendment.</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A substitute specification. <b>CLEAN VERSION + MARKED-UP VERSION</b></li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.</li> <li><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other items or information:             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. a return receipt postcard;</li> <li>b. 5 sheets Formal drawings with Figs. 1, 2, 3a, 3b, 3c, 4, 5, 6a, 6b and 7 thereon;</li> <li>c. Form PTO-2038;</li> <li>d. Letter to Draftsman &amp; 5 Replacement Sheets Formal Drawings.</li> </ol> </li> </ol>		
<p><b>NOTE:</b> The priority of German Patent Application 102 32 295.3, filed in the Federal Republic of Germany on July 16, 2002 is claimed for the present Application under 35 U.S.C. §119.</p> <p><b>NOTE:</b> The entire disclosure of PCT International Application PCT/EP2003/006694 is incorporated herein by reference.</p> <p><b>NOTE:</b> Filing on January 18, 2005 is timely because January 16, 2005 was a Sunday, and January 17, 2005 was a National Holiday.</p>		

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<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted:</p> <p><b>BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492 (a) (1) - (S)):</b> Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO and International Search Report not prepared by the EPO or JPO. .... \$1840.00</p> <p>National Phase filing fee (\$300), Search fee (\$500), Examination fee (\$200) .... = \$1000.00</p> <p>International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to USPTO but international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO .... \$740.00</p> <p>International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO but all claims did not satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) .... \$740.00</p> <p>International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) .... \$100.00</p>		<b>CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY</b>	
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ATTN.: DRAWING REVIEW BRANCH

Dear Sir:

- 1) Please replace the original 5 sheets of drawings with the enclosed 5 Replacement Sheets of Formal Drawings.
- 2) These Replacement Sheets correspond to the corrected drawings that were filed on August 4, 2004 by letter of July 29, 2994 in the counterpart PCT International Application PCT/EP03/006694, as shown also in the Annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report.
- 3) Reference numbers have been inserted in Figs. 1 to 5 and 7, and Figs. 6a and 6b have been corrected in conformance with the written description. Thus the revisions do not introduce any new matter.

Respectfully submitted,  
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